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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

SHIGERU HATAKENAKA

Serial No: 09/618,306

Filed: July 18, 2000

For: VINEGAR USING SEA WATER AND
SEASONING THEREOF

Art Unit: 1761

Examiner: Curtis E. Sherrer

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

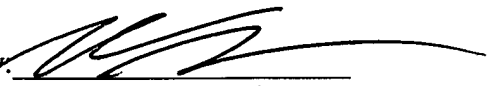
Dear Sir:

In response to the communication issued on December 17, 2002, Applicant respectfully requests a one-month extension of time so as to file a Continued Prosecution Application on the above-identified application. Please charge Deposit Account in the sum of \$55.00 as the fee.

Please charge any additional costs incurred by or in order to implement this request for an extension of time or any additional requests for extensions of time to KODA & ANDROLIA DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 11-1445.

Respectfully submitted,

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